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Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to and including July 2, 2003 for responding to the Office Action mailed January 2, 2003. A continuation application was filed on July 2, 2003 in response to the Office Action.

[X] A check in the amount of <u>\$465.00</u> is enclosed herewith.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 209575.0020) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

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